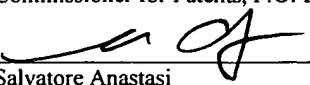


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Sir:

Preliminary to calculating filing fees and examining this application please amend the application as follows.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 5 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 16 of this paper.